

## Message Text

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R 101350Z JUN 77  
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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6030  
INFO AMEMBASSY JIDDA  
AMEMBASSY TOKYO

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E.O. 11652: NA  
TAGS: EFIN, EAID  
SUBJ: LOANS FOR SUEZ CANAL IMPROVEMENT

1. ACCORDING TO JUNE 9 "AL AHRAH", CHAIRMAN SUEZ CANAL  
AUTHORITY MASHOUR WILL SIGN \$50 MILLION LOAN AGREEMENT  
JUNE 10 IN RIYADH WITH SAUDI FUND FOR DEVELOPMENT. LOAN  
WILL BE USED IN FIRST PHASE OF SUEZ CANAL IMPROVEMENT.  
ARTICLE ALSO REPORTED THAT GOE WILL SIGN \$100 MILLION  
LOAN AGREEMENT WITH IBRD FOR CANAL PROJECTS AND THAT JAPAN  
HAS REPORTEDLY OFFERED \$89 MILLION LOAN IN ADDITION TO  
EARLIER \$131 MILLION CREDIT.

2. COMMENT. ACCORDING TO JAPANESE EMBOFF, \$89 MILLION  
FIGURE IS CORRECT AND HAS BEEN OFFERED TO GOE FOR CANAL  
PROJECT. HOWEVER, GOE HAS YET TO TAKE UP GOJ OFFER AND  
TERMS OF LOAN HAVE NOT YET BEEN DISCUSSED. JAPANESE EMBOFF  
STATED THAT IF ACCEPTED LOAN WOULD BE ON CONCESSIONARY TERMS.  
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